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THE SCREW STEAMER "VISAYA"
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PUBLIC AUCTION on the 15th day of
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For Particulars apply to the Agents of the
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MACLEOD & Co.
Manila, 25th October, 1886. 12034

SALE OF LAND

THESE will be Sold by Public Auction on the Grounds, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th day of November, at 4 O'CLOCK AFTERNOON, unless previously disposed of by private contract, all that Pieces or Parcel of GROUND containing 180 Acres, more or less, situate thereupon, proposed to be registered in the Land Office as Section A. of MARINE LOT No. 40, bounded on the South by Queen's Road East, and measuring thereon 203 feet, or thereabout, on the East by Marine Lot No. 42, and measuring thereon 203 feet, or thereabout, on the West by Marine Lot No. 64, and measuring thereon 180 feet, or thereabout, on the North by the Piece or Parcel of Ground intended to be registered in the Land Office as the Remaining Portion of Marine Lot No. 40, and measuring thereon 212 feet, or thereabout, on the South by a piece containing 33,563 square feet or thereabout.

A Plan of the Property may be inspected and all Particulars regarding the Title and Conditions of Sale obtained of the undersigned Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents,

CHINA SUGAR REFINING CO. LD.;

Hongkong, 29th October, 1888. [2035
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FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, AND
HIOGO.
NIE Steamship
"NIOBE,"
Captain Pfaff, will be despatched for the above
Ports. TO-DAY, the 29th instant, at FOUR

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, 28th October, 1886. [2032]

FOR NINGPO AND SHANGHAI.
THE Steamship
"YANGTSE".
Captain F. Schuchert, will be dispatched for the
above Ports TO-DAY, the 29th instant,
at FOUR P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, 28th October, 1886. [2033]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR AMOY AND SHANGHAI.
Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates
for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCHANG, TIENTSIN,
HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSE.
THE Company's Steamship

"BELLEROPHON."
Captain Outridge, will be despatched as above
TO-MORROW, the 29th inst. at DAYLIGHT.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, 29th October, 1886. [1909

**THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM-
SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.
The Company's Steamship

"DIAMANTE."
Captain MacCheslin, will be despatched for the
above PORT TO-MORROW, the 30th inst.,
at FIVE P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 28th October, 1886. [2031

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE,
Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND
PORTS, and taking through Cargo for ADE-
LAIDE, TASMANIA, & NEW ZEALAND).
THE British Steamer

"AFGHAN,"
due on the 30th inst. with part
Cargo from Japan and Foochow, will be
despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 4th
November, at FOUR P.M.

The Steamer has excellent Accommodation for
First Class Passengers.

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Calling at YOKOHAMA IF INDUCEMENT
 OFFERS).
 The British Steamer
 "ROEHAMPTON,"
 Captain Sanderson, will be despatched as above
 TO MOREAU, the 30th inst, at FIVE P.M.
 The Steamer will load for the Colonies from
 JAPAN leaving Kobe about the middle of next
 month.
 For Freight or Passage, apply to
 GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
 Managers,
 Hongkong, 29th October, 1886. [2018

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.
 H. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

will leave for the above place about 24 hours
after her arrival with the Outward English
Mails.

E. L. WOODIN,
Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, 29th October, 1886.

STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,
ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MARSEIL-
LES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI,
TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH,
AND LONDON.

ALSO;
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through
 bills of lading for Batavia, Persian
 Gulf, Port Moresby, Trieste, Ham-
 burg, New York, and Boston.
 SPECIES, ONLY, LANDED AT PLYMOUTH:
 THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
 NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
 "VERONA." Captain M. De Horna, with
 her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from
 this for LONDON, BOMBAY, and SUEZ
 on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, the 9th November,
 at FOUR P.M.
 Cargo will be received on board until
 TEN A.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the
 ELEVEN A.M., on the day of sailing.
 Bulk and Valuable cargo will be trans-
 shipped at Colombo. Tea and General Cargo
 for London will be conveyed via Bombay without

The ordinary direct route via Colombo.
For further particulars regarding FREIGHT
AND PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR &
ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S
Office Hongkong.
The Contents and Value of Packages are re-
quired to be declared prior to shipment.
Shippers are particularly requested to note
the terms and conditions of the Company's
Bill of Lading.
N.B.—This Steamer takes Passengers and
Cargo for Marseilles.
E. L. WOODIN,
Acting Superintendent.
Hongkong, 28th Oct, 1886.

NOTICES.

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT
EIGHT PER CENT. LOAN OF 1891.
SEVENTH DRAWING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in conformity with the stipulation contained in the Bonds of this Loan, the following Numbers of Bonds to be paid off at Par at the Office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, in Hongkong, on the 28th day of October, 1893, when the interest thereon will cease to be payable, was this day Drawn at the Office of the said Corporation in Hongkong, in the presence of HERBERT MAURICE BEVIS, Esquire, Chief Accountant of the said Corporation, and of the undersigned Notary.

NUMBERS OF BONDS DRAWN.

1000 BONDS, NOS.	1000 BONDS, NOS.	1000 BONDS, NOS.	1000 BONDS, NOS.
58 71 78 84 94 104 110	120 128 134 144 151 160 167	175 183 192 199 205 212 222	230 238 245 252 263 272 282
323 329 335 341 348 355 363	371 378 385 392 403 412 422	433 442 450 457 468 477 487	498 506 514 521 532 541 551
581 589 596 603 614 623 633	641 648 655 662 673 682 692	701 708 715 722 733 742 752	761 768 775 782 793 802 812
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For Shanghai, 1000 each—Shanghai.
For Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, 1000 each—Shanghai.

H. M. BEVIS, Chief Accountant.

Countersigned,
A. B. JOHNSON, Notary Public.

Hongkong, 25th October, 1893.

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT
EIGHT PER CENT. LOAN OF 1891.

THE INTEREST due 28th day of October, 1893, on the above LOAN, together with the FORTY DRAWN for Redemption, will be PAID at the Office of this CORPORATION, on and after that date.

For Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, 1000 each—Shanghai.

Agents for the Loan,
JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 25th October, 1893.

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MAIL HYPERTEXT

MAIL EXPECTED.

THE FRENCH MAIL.

The Messageries Maritimes steamer *Sophistic* with the next outward French mail, left Saigon on the 27th at noon, and may be expected here on or about Sunday, the 31st instant.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.
The U. N. Co.'s steamer *Changch* left Singapore on the afternoon of the 22nd, and is due here on or about the 29th inst.
The D. D. K. steamer *Electra* left Singapore on the afternoon of the 23rd, and may be expected to arrive here on the 29th inst.

The Ocean Steamship Company's steamer *Ajona* left Singapore on the afternoon of the 25th, and is due here on the 31st inst.

The China Shippers' Mutual S. N. Co. steamer *Oonpak* left Singapore on the 26th October, and is due here on the 1st November.

The F. & A. S. Co.'s steamer *Catterline*

left Port Darwin on the 22nd October, and may be expected here on or about the 1st November

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

When Correspondence has been mis-sent or delayed (both of which are liable to happen)

occasionally) all that the addressees need do is to note on the cover, *Sent to* —, or *Received* —, at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it without any other writing whatever, to the Postmaster-General. This should be noted on the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a mistake to let such matters pass for long, giving trouble, a course which generally gives

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connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE.

For Shanghai, Yokohama, and Hio-go.—Per *Nippon*, to-day, the 29th inst., at 3.30 P.M.

For Shanghai.—Per *Fuyao*, to-day, the 29th inst., at 3.30 a.m.

For Niampo and Shanghai.—Per Yangtze to-day, the 29th inst., at 3.30 p.m.
For Shanghai.—Per *Glennara*, to-day, the 29th instant, at 5.00 p.m.
For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per *Teheran*, to-day, the 29th inst., at 5.00 p.m.
For Yokohama.—Per *Hampshire*, to-morrow the 30th inst., at 2.30 p.m.

For Amoy and Manila.—Per *Diamond*, to-morrow, the 30th inst., at 4.30 p.m.
For Swatow, Amoy, and Taiwanfoo.—Per *Formosa*, to-morrow, the 30th inst., at 5.00 p.m.
For Swatow.—Per *Choe Chow Foo*, to-morrow the 30th inst., at 5.00 p.m.
For Straits, Colombo, and Bombay.—Per

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.
The German Contract Packet *Nurnberg* will be despatched on **MONDAY, the 1st November** with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, *via Brindisi*, to the Strait of

Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India,
Aden, Egypt, Malta, Gibraltar, &c., &c.
The boxes observed in closing the Mails, &c.,
will be the same as in the case of the French
Packet.
Correspondence should be marked *Per German
Mail*, or with the name of the Packet.
The Post Office declines all responsibility for
French and Italian letters containing Bank Notes.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.
The French Contract Packet *Djennah* will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 2d November, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and India.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT

MAILS.
- THE ENGLISH MAIL.
The following hours are observed in closing
Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:—
Day of Departure.
NOON.—Money Order Office closes.
2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Post-
ing of all printed matter and patterns ceases.
3.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters.

8.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until.
 3.20 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely.
 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure.

THE FRENCH MAIL.
Day before Departure.

5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

Day of Departure.

7 A.M., Post Office opens.

10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases.

11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters.

11 1/2 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee.

11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely.
11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure.

MONEY ORDERS.
1.—Money orders are issued at Hongkong

and Shanghai on the following countries and places :—

■ Ancoy.	■ Madcira.
■ Azores Is.	■ Malte.
■ Belgium.	■ Mauritiu.
■ Bermuda.	■ Natal.
■ Canada.	■ Newfoundland.
■ Canton.	■ New South Wales.
■ Cape Colony.	■ New Zealand.
■ Ceylon.	■ Ningpo.
■ (Canton.)	

• Cuneanaphop.	• North Borneo.
• Cyprus.	• Norway.
• Denmark.	• Port Darwin.
• Egypt.	• Portugal.
• Falkland Is.	• Queensland.
• Focchow.	• S. Helena.
• Gambia.	• Seychells.
• Germany.	• Shanghai.
• Gibraltar.	• Sierra Leone.
• Gold Coast.	• South Australia.
• Hankow.	• Straits Settlements.

- Hawaii.
- Hothow.
- Holland.
- Honduras, (Br.)
- Hongkong.
- Iceland.
- India.
- Italy.
- Japan.
- Lagos.
- *Others on the sea.*

- Swatow.
- Sweden.
- Switzerland.
- Tasmania.
- United Kingdom.
- United States.
- Victoria.
- Western Australia.
- West-Indies (British, Danish, and Dutch).

3.—The commission charged is as follows (according to the currency the order is drawn in.)

Up to £ 2, or \$10, or 20 Rupees	0.20 cents.
£ 2, or \$10, or 20 Rupees	0.40 cents.
£ 7, or \$35, or 70 Rupees	0.60 cents.

n. £10, or \$50, or 100 Rupees 0.80 cents.
 " " " 150 Rupees £1.00.

4.—No orders must exceed £10 or \$50 (unless drawn on India, when 150 rupees is the limit) nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, by the same mail.

5.—Money orders on the United Kingdom or even sums not exceeding £5 are granted by

6.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the ports of China by means of Postage stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent. for cashing them; or money orders can be granted at Hongkong or Shanghai on ports where there are Agencies of the Hongkong Post Office:

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